



I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: MS AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date shown below.

Dated: April 12, 2004

Signature:

(Orville R. Cocking)

AF/264
2700

EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

Group Art Unit: 2611

Docket No.: SONYJP 3.0-114

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of: :
Kishitaka et al. :
Application No.: 09/558,787 : Group Art Unit: 2611
Filed: April 26, 2000 : Examiner: H. B. Lonsberry
For: BROADCAST RECEIVER, CONTROL :
METHOD THEREFOR, AND PROGRAM :
#12/CEW
W. Lonsberry
4/21/04
W. Lonsberry
4/16/04

RECEIVED

APR 19 2004

Technology Center 2600

MS AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

DO
not
Ende
NL
4/21/04

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated January 26, 2004, finally rejecting claims 1, 4-7 and 10-15, applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.